NEARLY TOTAL SUSPENSION OF WORK. THE LOCKOUT AGAINST UNION MEN MAINTAINED BY MOST MANUFACTURERS-NON-UNION WORK-

The strike in the Piano trade still continues. PES WELCOMED. The manufacturers are carefully watched by the members of the inspecting committee, who visit each factory daily. Non-union men are to be re-admitted into many factories that were closed, but members of the Piano-makers Union are to be excinded. Some manufacturers express the opinion that the existence of the piano business in New-York depends upon a successful resistance to the

THIRD DAY OF THE LOCKOUT.

There were no new developments yesterday in the strike of the planemakers. The committee of inspection appointed by the manufac turers visited the factories of such manufacturers as had agreed to lock out and found them all closed except one. It was claimed there that there were pecuhar circumstances that made it proper to continue work. A number of manufacturers expressed opinions concerning the legality of their action in closing their factories, and all said that the case was not cov ered by the legal opinion printed in yesterday's TRIB-UNE, as given to Decker Brothers, however it might have been jastified by the circumstances in the case of that firm. The factories that were reported as closed are absolutely closed only against union men; and in some of them non-union men were at work yesterday, and others will be opened to non-union men to-day. Opinions were generally expressed as to the disastrous effect upon the piano business in New-York should the present strike succeed; and the determination of the manufacturers to hold out was based upon the hope of redeeming the trade from the influence of the union, which it was said, was destroying the do-mestic business, and had already nearly ruined the ex-VIEWS OF MANUFACTURERS.

Sohmer & Co., whose factory is at Fourteenth-st. and Third-ave., sent word yesterday to their men that they wished to see them this morning at the factory. The purpose of this is to offer work to all the men who will say in the presence of two witnesses that they do not belong to the Union. tried to errange matters, that he had decided to do what he could under the rules the manufacturers' society. Union men Mr. Solmer said to a TRIBUNE reporter that his men had expressed so much regret at the closing of the factory, and had urged that some means he could not have; but the rest were welcome. He had already several non-union foremen and others in the factory. "This fight is against the Union," he said, and we have got to win it or lose our business. The half of what they do to interfere with us was not stated in our card of yesterday. They make us discharge men, and they force us to keep men. I discharged a man for insolence, some time ago, and, as it was within two week safter a stake, I had to take him back or less all the men, under a rule of the Union that a discharge within two weeks is to be considered a result of the strike, and cannot be permitted. If the case-makers become dissatisfied, they can prevent my getting any more case-makers by sending word to the Union not to allow any to come here; and I get none if I advertise in every paper in the city.

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"Be have about killed the export business already; and we are trying to do what we can to redeem the rest from destruction. I am glad, however, that Decker Broshave got so good an exense for rot-standing by the manufacturers. They were with us until lately, and then withdrew."

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asked.

"They tried to drive it away. Even now dealers can go to Boston and buy instruments for \$15 or \$20 less than we can afford to make them, and that, ef course, makes it worse for the trade here. And it is all due to the difficulties with workingmen,"

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At the factory of C. D. Peass & Co., No. 320 West
Forty-third-t., no men were at work but a rendiness to
receive non-mind men was expressed by Mr. Pease.

Mr. Dielmann, a large manufacturer of pinno cases said
that he would be compelled to throw 250 men out of
employment as no more cases were wanted until work
in the leading factories is resumed.

Francis Bacon, formerly Bacon & Kurr, at No. 1.473
Breadway, said that he had employed no union med in
his factory, and although work had been stopped for
two days he intended to resume this morning with his
full force. While the action of the Union had no direct
relation to him, he had joined with the others to support
Bleinway as a preventive measure.

The Executive Committee of the Pianomakers' Union prepared an address yesterday for the public in expla-nation and defence of their action. This address, after stating that the public have a right to know who are to blame for the enforced idleness of thousands of workmen at a time when there was a promise of an opportunity to share in the improved condition of business, bays:

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"We state positively that not a single strike has been dietated by our Union; and not until men who received low wages while everything was soing up, had decided of themselves to strike, did the Union support them." The Grand Lodge of the Union met Tuesday evening, and decided that the men heretofore employed in any factory closed by the lockout, and which is not opened by March 22, must not return to work except on the condition of 10 per cent advance in wages. This resolution will doubtless be ratified at a nuass-meeting to be held on Sinday morning next. The shap reports made to the Directing Committee in session at the Teuronia Assembly Rooms yesterday, indicate no abatement of confidence on the part of the men.

Einst Gabley's men sent him word that they would be future communicate with him only through the Executive Committee of the Union. Kranien & Bach off-red to take their men back provided they would renounce the Union and form a union among themselves, but the men dealined. James & Holsitom informed their men that all who wished to do finishing might do so, and all who would leave the Union comid go to work. This offer was rejected. W. E. Wheelock mucle an address to his men yesterday, advising them to leave the Union, promising to rive them work at once in that event. In reply they wrote a letter denying that their Union had ever attempted to dietate to the employers, and refusing to leave it. The men of J. & C. Fischer met and decided to inform the firm of the action of the Grand Lodge of the Union. Bacon & Karr normed their men that the factory would be opened this morning. The men concluded to return to work if they found matters all right open arriving at the factory window matters all right open arriving at the factory window fuestioned much be held responsible for the broken glass. Statements loosely made that coöperative piano factories will probably be opened by the locked-out work

working on steamers and sailing vessels, have returned

to work without accomplishing their purpose.

The workmen employed in the porcelain manufactory of Thomas G. Smith, at Greenpoint, are on a strike for an advance of wages. They number about 150 men.

A mass-meeting of bricklayers of New-York will be held this evening to decide when to make their contempiated demand for an advance of wages. The bricklayers of Brookiya will meet to-morrow evening for the

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The Cabinet-makers' Union, No. 7, which received into membership the Herrmann men when they went on strike recently, will hold a public meeting to-morrow evening, to express sympathy for the locked-out planomakers, and plan means for helping them financially.

The varnishers employed in the manufactory of Chaires Fisch, No. 164 Mottest, a few days are made a demand for an advance of wages of \$1 per week. To avert a strike, the firm acceded to the demand of the workmen.

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At a meeting of gold frame makers yesterday it was reported that the men employed by a firm named reported that the men employed by a firm named Wintrecken & Streher are on strike, and it was resolved to support them from the funds of the Union.

TRIAL OF ELIZABETH OFFICIALS.

INVESTIGATING CHARGES OF FRAUD. OPENING OF THE DEFENCE IN THE CASE OF LEG-

GETT AND LEEDS. The trial of Controller Thomas B. Leggett, of Elizabeth, N. J., and Daniel W. Leeds, clerk to the City Treasurer, upon the first of twenty indicaments charging them with conspiracy to defraud the effy, was tinued yesterday in Judge Van Syckel's Court at continued yesterday in Judge Van Syckel's Court at Elizabeth. The excitement in the city is intense, and the court-room was crowded. Prosecutor Fay. on the part of the State, opened the proceedings. George Farnham, a broker of this city, testified for the State: "On July 5, 1877. I bought of Henry Alken, ex-Controller of Elizabeth, five Elizabeth City bonds at 7632, and sold them on the same day to Controller Legatt for St. On July 8, Legal to Mr. Loggett for 77, two gett for 80. On July 8 I sold to Mr. Leggett for 77, two bonds which I had previously bought for 75, and on September 7 I sold bonds to Mr. Leggett for 80, which I had bought for 78." This evidence, the Prosecutor claimed, proved that Mr. Leggett knew the market price of the bends to be in the neighborhood of 80, withprice of the bonds to be in the torned them into the city for out interest, at the time he turned them into the city for 100, with interest. James McGuire, cashier of the National State Bank of Edzabeth, was recalled. National State Bank of Edgabeth, was recalled, and testified as to the nature of Mr. Leggett's account in June, 1878. Theodore F. Sayre testified to having received from Controller Leggett and Clerk Leeds one bond at par and interest, in payment of a debt of the city to him. This bond he was obliged to sell for 76. The State then rested its case.

Ex-Judge Green opened the defence by a concise statement to the jury of the logic sweet in by the defend.

ment to the jury of the facts sworn to by the defendants. "This," said he, "is the very first opportunity the defendants have had to give any explanation to the public, but it seems as if nothing had been spared to bring odium upon them and others; so that no person newadays can be an officer of the City of Elizabeth without being exposed to every kind of calumny. The public press has been used as a channel for slander and even the church has almost hurled its anathemas against them. Now what is the crime charged upon them! A conspiracy. And what is a conspiracy! The statutes, Section 191, say: 'If two or more persons shall unlawfully combine, unite, confederate or conspire, or bind themselves by any oath or obligation to commit an unlawful act, such action shall be termed a conspiracy. Has there been any evidence of such conspiracy effered ? Possibly the case ought to go to the jury without evidence from the defendants. But we think it will be better to take this opportunity to tell

In regard to Mr. Leeds, he was not a sworn officer of

try. As the facilities of the tal service bave extended, the need of the service supplied by the company has diminished, so that since 1870 the carriage of letters has failen off 51 per cent. The carriage of postage-paid letters by Wells, Pargo & Co. began with the settlement of the Pacific Coast thirty years ago, and has been continued ever since. To a large extent for a long time it was the only means of communication the pioneers had, and it still remains a great convenience. The average number of etters now carried is about 200,000 a year-mainly to etters now carried is about 200,000 a year-mainly to the Pacific Coast. For the stamped envelopes used \$60,000 a year is paid, which is a net income to the Government, as no commission is paid for the sale of the stamps and there is no expense of carrying and delivering. The commission on that amount of stamps if soid by possinisters would of itself amount to \$5,000 a year. Many pay us the advance price-10 cents for each envelope—because they think correspondence in our hands is more certain of a safe and quick transit than in the mails. But in any case the revenue of the Government is not diminished. A creat many letters are carried by the company for the Chinese both in San Francisco and New York. The address lewritten in Chinese characters—only one Chineman in many thousands is able to write Engish—and translated into English by Chinese clerks in our employ. This is of great benefit to the Chinese, as no such facility is invalished by the Post Office Department.

"If may be that the carriage of the company's own business correspondence by the hands of its own comployés is an intraction of the law as alleged in the report, but it is a practice very generally lu vogue in various kinds of business throughout the country. The carriage of official letters, reports, etc., for the Western Union Telegranh Co upany—referred to in the report—was discontinued some months ago upon an intimation from the Government that the practice was objection—able. Wells, Fargo & Co. are willing to discontinue the carriage of the Central Pacific Railroad's official reports as soon as the practice is prohibited on other lines, it claims the right, however, as long as other lines are freely perimited to do so."

Mr. Parsons said in conclusion that if the Postmaster-General should refuse the company the privilege of carrying letters, an effort would be at once made to get a built through Congress. Such a bill, be thought, would be castly passed, as the facilities furnished by the letter express business were strougly favored by all the the Pacific Coast. For the stamped envelopes used

STAYING THE EXECUTION OF REINHARDT. Justice Donohue yesterday granted a stay of proceedings in the case of Edward Reinhardt, who had Oliver, been sentenced to be hanged on April 2 for the murder Cole. proceedings in the case of Edward Reinhardt, who had of Annie Deguan. No execution has occurred on Staten Island for a censury, and there are no facilities at the Richmond County Jail for capital punishment. Sheriff Connor on Tuesday informed Mr. Howe, counsel for the condemned man, that no fence had yet been built around the jail to form an inclosure in which the scaffold could be erected. The counsel, therefore, made application ontworkmen appear, upon investigation, to be without any foundation.

OTHER LABOR MOVEMENTS.

The Union longshoremen who recently stopped work on the salling vessels of James E. Ward, at Pier No. 17 East River, in order to force Stevedore Hall to establish a uniform rate of 40 cents an hour for men be erected. The counsel, therefore, made application

LOCAL MISCELLANY.

THIRD DAY OF THE ODELL SALE. Both prices and attendance fell off a little yester day at the Odell Library sale. As a rule, the books offered were less desirable than on the previous days. There were many priced catalogues of dispersed English collections, which have never commanded the prices here that they do in London, and many works on the history of printing, for which, unhappily, there were only two or three bidders, and only one who had an enthusiasm worthy of the cause. Books such as these are not the rare books which sell best in New-York, It is a very special class which cares for them, and a small class at that. This would explain why dealers come into the sale only to mark their catalogues for filing and reference. Buy the books they do not, knowing how few the chances are that they will sell. Customers for them will come in anything but abundance. A book bought to-day may lie on the shelf five years. No American ever did business at that pace. But for the small class of collectors the present sale is a harvest-time. Fabriciuses at 20 cents is low

enough for auybody. The sale yesterday had several very interesting features in spite of these drawbacks. The "Poliphilo," second edition, with all the plates in good order; brought \$120, running rapidly up to order; brought \$120, running rapidly up to to that sum from \$50. Dibdin, in the Speneer Catalogue, devotes twenty pages to a description of this work, The copy of Ptolemy's "Geography," being the second edition, edited by Servetus, m fine order, was knocked down for \$60. The sale stopped in the midst of Reisch's "Margaritas," four editions of which are in the collection. Only the first, and that an imperfect copy, was sold. It brought \$17. The Pickering Prayer Book of 1853, printed by Whitingham, and beautifully illustrated, went for \$11, and was certainly cheap for the money "Piers Flomalman" (Pickering) sold for \$85.50; the first edition of the New Testament in Greek, printed in America, for \$3; Mathias's "Pursuits of Literature," a magnificent copy, started at \$5, went up to \$57.50; a large paper copy of Martin's "Catalogue of Privately Printed Books," bound by Riviere, went for \$22; Humphrey's "Masterpieces of the Early Printers and Engravere," being fac-similes, for \$8.40; and Mrs. Jameson's and Lady Easilake's "History of Our Lord," the last work that engaged Mrs. Jameson's hands, with its thirty-one etchings and 281 wood engravings, for \$14.

The books on printing and engraving were many and valuable. Jackson and Chatte's "Treatise on Wood Engraving," with 300 illustrations, fetched \$11; Palmer's History of Printing, from the First Invention of it in the City of Meniz to its Propagation and Progress thro most of the Kingdoms of Europe" (1733)—a work in which Fanst and Schoeffer were held to be the invention—brought only \$125. Othey's "Inquiry," just before it, sold for \$19. Lambinet's "Recherches Historiques," werth \$4, brought only 50 cents. Leumertz's "History of Ecoksellers," with its costly places and sumptuous binding, sold for \$19. Menrsis' "Elegantic Latim Sermous," an Elzevir print in very line condition, went for \$1250. The Miss edition of Lowndes's "Manual" went for \$1 12½ a volume; a large-paper, copy of the latest edition brought \$5 a volume. A catalogue of "Antediluvian Libraries" (whatever to that sum from \$50. Dibdin, in the Spencer Catalogue, devotes twenty pages to a de-

for general circulation, and fortunately is hard to get. It fetched \$26, after lively bidding.

MANAGEMENT OF THE POLICE FORCE. The Police Board held another private session at the Gilsey House, yesterday, Commissioner Wheeler being still unable to leave his room. The chief business, the reorganization of the detective squad, was brought out in the shape of requests by Captain Byrnes for the transfer to and from his command of a number of men, but the whole matter was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline. Detective George Nevins, one of the oldest members of the force, who gained distinction

oldest members of the force, who gained distinction in bis youth by arresting Hieks, the pirate, applied for retirement. Hisapplication is to be passed upon by the Board of Surgions.

The request of the Assembly for information concerning the Society for the Prevention of Crime was answered briefly by the Chief Clerk. The gist of the reply was simply that the society had never come in conflict with the police, and that the Department was ready to give every aid to it that might be required.

Captain Williams's bill for expenses at his trial was sent in by the Controller, with a request for action by the Board. The Board sent it to the Corporation Counsel, asking for advice as to its payment, and from what fund the money might be taken. Permission was given to Roundsman John Delaney, of the Iwenty-first Precinct, to receive a gold medal for saving life. Honorable mention was made of Roundsman Thomas Farley, of the Thirteenth Precinct, for saving life, and of Officer John Breen, of the Mounted Squad, for his daring effort to stop Mrs. Samuel Jones's minaway horses.

Several resolutions were offered by Commissioner Veorhis and referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline. One called upon Captain Byrnes to show by what authority he has established the substation in Wall-st, the consent of the Mayor and Common Council, beside the Board of Police, being required in such cases.

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A VICTIM OF AN OLD SWINDLE.

On Sunday last, Emil Buttet, a Swiss, arrived in New-York from Des Moines, Iowa, en reute for Switzerland. He had with him \$600, which represented the savings of several years. On reaching this city he went to Earle's Hotel, but on Monday changed his quarters to the Hotel Leroy, at No. 168 Wooster-st., where he intended to await the sailing of the steamship Amerique, on which he had taken passage for Havre. At the Hotel Leroy he met Fontana Guiseppe, who induced him to take a stroll through the city. On West-st, they met Giordani Andrea Bartolomeol, to whom Buttet was introduced. Eartolmeol soon produced several rolls of what purported to be gold to the sum of \$6,000. These he asked Buttet to take charge of. \$6,000. These he asked Buttet to take charge of, demanding as security his \$600 in bank notes. Buttet made the exchange, and the confederates disappeared and did not return. Their victim opened the packages, which he found to contain pieces of lead pipe. He at once entered a complaint, and on Tuesday night Detectives Gannon and Foly, of the steamboat police squad, arrested Guisenpe and Bartolomeol at Canal and West-sits. They were taken before Justice Otterbourg, at the Jefferson Market Police Court, yesterday, and were remanded to the Tombs to await further examination. to await further examination.

PURCHASE OF GOVERNMENT BONDS. The offers to sell bonds to the Government yesterday amounted to \$11,307,350. The sum fell short by over \$1,300,000 of that of the proposals a week ago, but the offers were more numerous. The prices ranged from 103.85 to 104 for 6s of 1880, from 105.43 to 106.62 for 6s of 1881, and from 103.13 to 103.61 for 5s of 1881. Bids were accepted to the amount of \$2,000,000-the same sum bought the amount of \$2,000,000—the same sum bought last week. The principal awards were made as follows: To Drexel. Morgan & Co., \$284,500 of 5s at 103.14 to 103.16; to Fisk & Hatch, \$1,000,000 6s of 1881 at 105.44 and \$55,000 5s at 103.13; and to Hatch & Foote \$221,000 6s of 1881 at 105.43 and \$396,000 5s at 103.43 to 103.18.

Considerable satisfaction was expressed that the purchase was not smaller in amount than that of last week. Many persons had feared that a less amount would be accepted.

STABBED AT HIS HOUSE DOOR.

Daniel Haggerty, of No. 46 Oliver-st., who was stabbed on the night of February 29, is dying at the New-York Hospital. Yesterday Coroner Brady the New-York Hospital. Yesterday Coroner Brady took his anie-mortem deposition. He said: "Three men came behind me in Madison-st., near Oliver. I was in company with Christopher Cole. One of the three men following me pushed against me, saying, 'You are the man who struck my brother.' I said, 'No, sir; I never struck a man in my ble.' Mr. Cole attempted to get between me and my assailant, who was endeavoring to stab me in the breast. I attempted to get into my own house. He followed me, and stabbed me twice in the back under the shoulder. I have not the slightest idea of who the man is, but I have seen his face before."

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MR. MACLEAN'S MISSING MAN APPEARS. Policeman Dennis Leary, whose mysterious absence from his post in the Street-Cleaning Department excited much comment recently, reported for the property of the International Comment of Samuel Lawrence, age forty-six, of No. 846 Myrtle-ave. His death is believed to have been due to apoplexy or heart disease. duty at the Fifth Precinct Station Tuesday. He was at Police Headquarters yesterday to claim his back pay for six months, which the Treasurer, how-

ever, refused to deliver, referring him to the Board. When asked where he had been, he said that he had reported last June, but would say nothing about his movements since then. That Leary's mind is affected is not doubted.

GROWTH OF A FREE CIRCULATING LIBRARY. Articles of incorporation of the New-York Circulating Library have been filed with the Secretary of State. This corporation is the outgrowth of a free circulating library which was opened with 1,100 books March 1, 1879, was opened with 1,100 books March 1, 1879, at No. 127 Eart Thirteenth-st., by twelve well-known ladies. The attention of these ladies had been called to the fact that there was no library of this kind in this city of a popular character, and they started this to supply the want so far as their means would allow. The ladies say that the patronage of the library was very large from the first; that they received applications for books from all parts of the city, and occasionally even from the suburbs; that the number of books has nearly doubled during the last year; and that, although they had often been told that a library of this kind would not succeed, as the books would be stolen, they lost only three books during the vear. The library was recently moved to No. 36 Bondest, and with the originators of the library as a nucleus this corporation has been formed. Among the trustees of the corporation are Joseph H. Choate, Robert, Hee, ir., Levi P. Morton, Philip Schuyler, F. W. Stevens, B. H. Field, W. W. Appleton and Abram S. Hewitt. The plan is to have one large library, and reading rooms in some central locality, and local distributing rooms wherever there is a demand for them.

ORGANIZED ROBBERIES IN BROOKLYN.

Four men were seen acting in a suspicious man per in Macdonough-at, early yesterday morning, Officer Mott, of the Ninth Precinct, was in citizen's clothes watching them, and when they approached clothes watching them, and when they approached bim he sprang in front of them with a drawn pistol and captured two of them. With Officer Murphy's assistance he took them to the station, where they gave their names as Charles Tice, of No. 181 Tompkins-ave, and Frederick Abeil, of No. 240 Ellers-st., Brooklyn. Abell subsequently confessed that they were members of a gang which me in the Bowery, this city, and there organized achemes of robbery. Their work, he said, had been confined to the onter wards of Brooklyn, and he gave a list of the houses which they had robbed. It is thought that property worth about \$2.000 will be recovered in this way. Justice Sender yesterday committed Tice and Abell to the jail for examination. They said that they did not know the names of their companions.

HOME NEWS.

PROMENEN. ARRIVALS.

FROMEN'S ARRIVAL'S.

Fifth Arenne Hotel—William E. Chandler, of New-Hampshire; Judge Josech Potter, of the New York Suprems Court, and Join's A. Matchell, of St. Louis. Hackingloan Hatel—Ex Governo; John W. Stewart of Vermont. Hotel Brungelsk—General F. W. Paifrey, of Boston. Hoffman House—Ex Senator D. P. Wood, of Synames. Westmater Hotel—Jewime B. Farmerlor, of Troy. It noise hotel—Henry C. Poiter, General Manager of the First and Pere Marquette Hailway.

NEW-YORK CITY.

Edward Henze, age ten years, is missing from his ome at No. 520 West Fiftieth-st. The Aldermen will visit Niblo's Garden this even-ing, by invitation of the management, to hear the Boston "Idea's" in "H. M. S. Pinafore."

The Rev. Joseph Cook will lecture Saturday even-ng in the Broadway Tabernacle maid of the charity and of the Sunday-school of that church. The Rev. William H. Simpson died yesterday at the Rooseveit Hospital from Bright's disease and pneumonia, at the age of stxty-four years.

The members of the Cotton Exchange decided by an almost unanimous vote yesterday, to keep "Good Friday" and "Holy Saturday," March 26 and 27.

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Designs in garden tools for ornamenting bats and bonnets seem more odd than pretty, but they nevertheless have a prominent place among the new or-

Cashmere face will be much used in millinery this Spring. This is not the cashmere face that was worn three years ago, but a new face with cashmere colors and embroidered with gold and silver threads.

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The captain of the Anchor Line steamship Devonia, which arrived yesterday from Glasgow, reperted, that Alexander McLean, a steerage passenger, jumped overboard on March 8. Efforts were made to rescue him, but without avail.

The 12th Regiment will give an exhibition drill at Madeson Square Garden this evening. General T. L. Crittenden, United States Army, will review the command. Dodworth's Band will give a concert and after the review there will be dancing.

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Among the immigrants who arrived at Castle Garden yesterday were sixty-four destitute Slovaks, who have been driven from their homes by famine, resulting from a destruction of their crops by floods. Efforts will be made to secure them employment in the coal mines of Pennsylvania.

The body of a man found in the bay near Governor's Island, on March 14, was identified yesterday as that of Joseph Tomlinson, age forty years, a porter. He had been missing since January 20, and his employer in the interval had sent his wife and child to kingland, to their friends.

Many of the casaquins that are in much favor at present are made with extensive fronts that ran from the front to the side seam, and are finished with small hip pockets. Others are simple double or single-breasted basques, but always of a different material from the rest of the costume.

Robert Horn was charged yesterday at the Jef-

At the regular meeting of the New-York State Social Science Association, held at No. 21 East Four teenth-st, yesterday afternoon, addresses were made by Mrs. Hope Whipple, Mrs. Bristol, Francis E. Willard and Laura C. Holloway. Mrs. Whipple is the president; the other ladies mentioned were guests of the society at their meeting.

mrs. Sophia L. Faber, of No. 95 Pitt-st., was recently a servant for Charles Kohlman, a Church st. dry goods merchant, living at No. 263 East Seventy-eighth-st. Testerday she was charged at the Yorkville Police Court with attempting to blackmail Mr. Kohlman by means of threatening letters. Two letters were put in evidence. She was committed for trial.

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Tuesday evening Officer Reynolds, of the Eighth Precinct, arrested a man on Thompson-st, who was carrying a valuable silk dress and sealskin cloak. Yesterday morning the officer and his prisoner appeared before Justice Otterbourg, in the Jefferson Market Police Court. The man proved to be James McGintry, alias Dooley, whose pertrait is number 332 in the Rogue's Gallery. He was remanded to seal trial. await trial.

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The Board of Education yesterday abolished the Saturday sessions of the Normai College. The City Superintendent's report showed an average attendance last month in the public schools of 112,686 pupils, an increase of 1,209 over that of February, 1879. The president was authorized to make such arrangements with the New-York Juvenile Asylum as he deems proper in relation to the detention and discharge of truants.

An application for articles, of incorporation bear

discharge of truants.

An application for articles of incorporation has been fited with the Secretary of State by the Central Park Palace Company. It has a capital of \$200,000. The projector, Baron de Guerville, and S. J. Bache, W. H. McCord, A. J. Post and W. I. McCornnek are named as the trustees. The purpose of the company is to creet a large and fine binding between Pifty-eighth and Pifty-minth-sts, in Fifthave., where a roller skating rink will be maintained and promenade concerts will be given.

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Gerschel Whitfield, a glazier, of No. 174 Divisionst., was arrested by Officer Beveridge, of the
Seventh Preeinet, Tuesday night, as he was about to
leap into the water at Pier No. 55, East fiver. He
said he desired to commit suicide owing to distress
of mind, and that he had previously taken a quantity of kerosene oil, but it failed to effect his purpose. Justice Patierson yesterday, at the Essex
Market Police Court, committed him to the care of
the Commissioners of Charities and Correction.

Officer Chardi, of the Society for the Prevention

the Commissioners of Charities and Correction.

Officer Chiardi, of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, appeared in the Jefferson Market Police Court vesterday morning with Minnie Green, age eleven, and John Goodwin, age thirteen. Minnie Green's father is dead, and her mother is in the Penitentiary for drunkenness. Justice Otterbourg remanded her to the care of the American Female Guardian Society. John Goodwin's father also is dead and his mother in the Workhouse. He was sent to the Catholic Protectory. tory. BROOKLYN.

City Auditor Albert Ammerman sailed for Florida yesterday.

yesterday.

Workmen have begun putting up the iron pillars for the elevated railroad in Park-ave.

The death of Mrs. Margaret Lee, of No. 50 Front-st, who fell down staits on Saturday under circumsiances which gave rise to the suspicion that her husband might have intended to kill her, was declared accidental by a coroner's jury yesterday. Mrs. Lee's husband, who had been arrested, was released.

In regard to the proposed sale of the lands north of the Coney Island Concourse, which are controlled by the Park Commissioners, ex-Supervisor Stillwell,

of Gravesend, said yesterday to the special Supervisors Committee which is inquiring into the matter that the action of the Park Commissioners in obtaining the land was a shrewd scheme to secure it at low figures and seil if at an advance, in order to have money to expend. This was done at the expense of the town of Gravesend, whose property at Coney Island had been benefited very little by the Concourse and other improvements. Martin Schoonmaker insisted that the land was taken for a park and that the Park Commissioners should carry out their original intentions.

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WESTFIELD.—There is a movement in progress for the erection of a town hall. Many persons advocate the altering of the old school house building for the purpose.

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STAPLETON.—Cantain Jacob Britton, a Sandy Hook pilot, died suddenly early vesterday morning in his home at Stapleton, of heart disease. Captain Britton, who was sixty-one years old, belonged to the pilot boat Christianberg. No. 15, and was one of the oldest pilots in the commission. He appeared in his usual health on Tuesday. The colors on all the pilot boats were displayed at half mast yesterday as a token of respect to his memory. ... A stock company has been formed in stapleton, who intend establishing extensive vinegar works in that place. The company has a large capital.

JERSEY CITY.

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Henry Siers, age tive, of No. 1,067 Summit-ave., Jersey City Heights, fell into a tub of boiling hot water Tuesday night and was fataily scalded. Joseph Bawser, of First and Colgate-sta., Jersey City, a laborer, age fifty-five, was struck yesterday afternoon by a train on the Pennsylvania Railroad and instantly killed,

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Dr. Brooks, ex-City Physician of Jersey City, was arrested Tuesday night on a second charge of malpractice and placed under \$3,000 bonds to await trad. William G. Leslie and Catharine Gray, complainants in the case, have been committed to the County Jail as witnesses.

NEWARK. Mrs. Meierhoefer, the convicted murderess of her husband, denies that she ever made any state-ments to her spiritual adviser, the Rev. Mr. Kern,

Two children, one a girl of five years, and the other a babe of ten months, have been taken care of by the Overseers of the Poor, and placed with a charitable institution. The father, one Robertson, was in juil until a few days ago, when he was released he abandoned the wife, who left the two children with a neighbor and went away. Early on Thesday morning the little girl, with her baby sister, appeared on Madison-st, in the storm, drenched with rain and almost famished.

LONG ISLAND.

Firsters were busy in the town of

Figure 1. The state of the stat

New-Rochelle.—It is understood that Mr. Law-rence D. Pinckney, of New-Rochelle, has purchased the celebrated trotting gelding Ronnoke, by imported Australian, from Mr. Z. Stokes, of Boston, for \$3,000.

MOUNT KISCO.-At Mount Kisco the following village officers were elected on Tuesday evening; Joseph O. Miller, president; Aderf B. Sarles and George W. Grabaon, trustees; E. T. Bailey, treas-urer; Alvah L. Banks, collector. NORTH TARRYTOWN.-The charter election at

North Tarrytown,—The charter election at North Tarrytown on Tuesday evening resulted in the choice of A. D. Revere for president; Morgan Purdy and Charles G. Stephens, trustees; A. W. Husted, treasurer; A. Traey, collector.

Donns Fringy.—The election for village officers of Dobbs Ferry, held on Tuesday evening, resulted in the choice of John C. Ambler, for president; Moes T. Odell, for trustee; Nathaniel Lawrence for treasurer, and Daniel Gillespie for collector.

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Invington.—In Irvington the following city officers were elected on Tuesday: For president, William F. Drake; trustees, William A. Burnham (long term) and John Hunter (short term): treasurer, Henry H. Cannon; collector, Thomas W. Barker. The taxpayers voted in favor of appropriating \$500 for "health fund," and the substitution of gas for naphtha for street lamps.

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Yokkers,—The Republicans of Yonkers on Tuesday evening made the following nominations: For Mayor, M. Otis; City Judge, Edward P. Barré; Aldermen-Rirst Ward, Cyrus Peek; Second Ward, Edward Underhill; Third Ward, William P. Ketchan; Fourth Ward, Henry R. Hicks; Supervisor, Joseph H. Palmer; Justice of the Pence, Edgar Logan, Jr., (long term) and Allen Taylor (short term).

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

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BILLE WATER TO-DAY-A. M.
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BIOH WATER TO-DAY-F. M.
Saudy Hook, 0:58 | Gov. Island. 1:31 | Hell Gate. 3:20

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

OFFICE OF THE LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, THIRD DISTRICT, TOMPKINSVILLE, N. V., Mar. 17, 1880. TOMERISATHLE N. V., SIGE IV. 1880. )

FIRE ISLAND INLET-CHANGE OF EUOYAGE.

The new channel of Fire Island Inlet, formed by the shifting of the hor, is marked as follows:

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Rioy, S.E. 128.

Channel finov, 3d class oun, black and white perpendicular stripes, in 10 ff, water. Bearings—Light house, E. Consain's Recess, N.E. Second Channel (spar) Body, E. by N. Second Star (red) Budy, 30 feet spar, perpendicular stripes in 18 feet water. Rearings—Light house, E. 428; Conkin's House, N.E. by N. 5n. Second Spar (red) Budy, N.E. by E. by E. for former bar budy (18) class nan, perpendicular stripes) is now a coast moy painted red. The budy is inside the point of the beach, red No. 2 and black No. 1, remain unchanged.

J. M. B. CLITZ, Commodore U. S. N., Lighthouse Inspector Third District. SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF NEW-YORK ..... MARCH 17.

ATRIVED.

Steam ram Sanchez Barrastigo (Span), Marceau, Havana daya, has 3 guas and 150 officers and crow, Sir City of Vera Cruz, Van Sice, Havana Mar 12, to Wm P. cent City, Porter, Aspinwall 9 days, to Pacific Mail Sa Co. Sir Portions (Br). Mahiman, St Ann's Bay, Ja, 64 days, with truit to G Wessels. Sir Harters, Beag, West Point, Va. to Old Dominion Ss Co; the orrectly reported as the Isaac Bell 16th. Sir New-York, Quick, New Orleans March 10, to Bogert &

SIT New York, Quick, New Orleans March 10, to Bogert & Morgan.

SIT Remediator, Jones, Wilmington, N.C. to W.P. Civile & Co. Sit Francenna, Mangem, Portland, M. to J. F. Ames.

Shap D H Morris of Windset, N.S., Morris, Thremon. 55 flays, with old from and chapty barrels to order; vessel to J. F. Ames.

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Brit Shoot of Sonorme & Co. vessel to F. H. Smith & Co.

Brit Removary of Bath, Mountfort, Cardenas. 17 days, with suffice of Brit Days, Poscelish, Transail 80 days, with salt to order, vessel to Janes W. Elwell & Co.

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Schr Bucco, Hyde; St John, N B, 9 days, with lumber to John Boynton's Son.
Schr Frances, Cain, Frontern 27 days, with mahogany and lowood to J O Ward & Co: vessel to Overton & Hawkins.
Schr Mathide Kranz, Rich, Monteytheo 55 days, with hides and wool to order: ressel to Brett, Son & Co.
WIND—Sanset—At Sandy Hook, a gale, N NW; cloudy. At City Island, strong, NW; clear. CLEARED.

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Strs Relite (Bri, Gladel), Liverpool and Queenstown, R.J.

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(Bri, Frace, St. John, etc., A.F. Guntaler, & Co., Schudia (Bri, Windham, Newcastle, Bowring & Arguider, & Co., Gate City, Baugett, Savaniah, Geo Yongo, Morro Cantle, Feed, Charleston, W.m. P. Ciyue & Co., Batteria, Boaz, West Ponit, Va. Old

Dominton Ss.Co., Josephine Thompson, Moore, Rathmore, J.S.

Kreins, W.m. Lawrence, March, R., Baltimore, Geo H. Glover,

Ann Elizs, Warren, Philadelphia, W.m. P. Clyde & Co., Gat.

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FORKHAN P. 1874.

LONDON March 17.—Arr str Alava (Spau), from Now-York for Liveuroot, March 17.—Arr str Alava (Spau), from Now-York Liveuroot, March 17.—Arr str Alava (Spau), from Now-Liveuroot, March 17.—Arr str Alava (Spau), from Now-Liveuroo salled stra Istrian (Br), for Boston ; Lord Clive, for New-York. QUENSTOWN, March 17.—Air str Heivetia, from New York for Liverpool, of Fastnet; att str Lord Gough from Philadel-

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SOUTHAMPIOS, March 17.—Arr str Denau, from New-York.

Boston; Ocean Spray: 15th Inst, Cashier. Helenc, Mimi: 16th Inst, Toivo, Iast Iwo for New-York: Atvio, for Bialtimore; John Rutherfort: 17th Inst, Annot Lyie, Friso, Loviald, the latter for New-York.

Arr 12th Inst, Camoes, Commerzienrath Dientshach, Grant; 14th Inst, Addelina, Atalanta (Capl Pischer), Ginseppe Mascone, Jorsalfarer, Vug. 15th Inst, John Hongvalstad; 16th Inst, John Hongvals

For Later Ship News, if any, see Fifth Page.

Some one put a wooden Indian under the bed of a Betroit old maid and of course she saw it and yelled, and a policeman came in and crawled under the bed to bring the burgiar out and fought the Indian for thirty minutes before he found out it was wooden, and then he told the spinster that she was a zonedy old numb-head, and went out and pumped on his head for half an hour to get the dust out of his eyes.

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